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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Vered HORNIK et al.

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated September 23, 2003, be extended for a period of two (2) months from December 23, 2003 to and including February 23, 2004.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$420.00. Please charge the required fee to Winston & Strawn Deposit Account No. 501-814. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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